RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 6 o'clock and 51 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. Murphy of Connecticut) at 8 o'clock and 13 minutes p.m.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida (at the request of Mr. HOYER) for May 7 and the balance of the week on account of illness in the family.

Mr. ENGEL (at the request of Mr. HOYER) for May 7 and the balance of the week on account of a family medical emergency.

Mr. RUPPERSBERGER (at the request of Mr. HOYER) for today after 1:30 p.m.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. DAVIS of Illinois) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.
Mrs. McCarthy of New York, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. Woolsey, for 5 minutes, today. Mr. Defazio, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at the request of Ms. Foxx) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. WALSH of New York, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at his own request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, for 5 minutes, today.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 8 o'clock and 14 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, May 9, 2007, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows: 1551. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting a copy of the Department's Energy Fleet Alternative Fuel Vehicle Acquisition Report, Compliance with EPAct and E.O. 13149 in Fiscal Year 2006, pursuant to Public Law 109-58, section 701; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1552. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's report to Congress on the actions Federal Agencies are taking to incorporate and implement the May 2002 Interagency Agreement, pursuant to Public Law 107-58, section 372(b); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1553. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's Report to Congress on Marketing Violent Entertainment to Children: A Fifth Follow-up Review of Industry Practices In the Motion Picutre, Music Recording & Electronic Game Industries; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1554. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, Transmittal No. 07-20, concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to Iraq for defense articles and services, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1555. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the annual report relating to the prevention of nuclear proliferation from January 1 to December 31, 2006, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3281(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1556. A letter from the Chair, Commission on International Religious Freedom, transmitting the Commission's 2007 Annual Report, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 6412 Public Law 105-292 section 102; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1557. A letter from the Under Secretary, Department of the Air Force, Department of Defense, transmitting a memorandum of transmittal for the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Korea concerning the Korean Seismic Research Stations, Wonju, Republic of Korea, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2565; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1558. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report to Congress on the Millennium Challenge Corporation's activities for fiscal year 2006, pursuant to Public Law 108-199, section 613; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1559. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the 2006 Annual Report on United Nations voting practices, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2414a; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1560. A letter from the Secretary, Department of State, transmitting a request for the prompt consideration and passage of H.R. 6060, the Department of State Authorities Act of 2006; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1561. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 2007-15 on the Eligibility of the Republic of Montenegro and the Republic of Serbia to Receive Defense Articles and Defense Services; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1562. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the proposed license for the export of

defense articles and services to the Governments of Korea, United Kingdom, and the Netherlands (Transmittal No. DDTC 014-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1563. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of major defense articles to the Government of Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 013-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1564. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of significant military equipment in the Government of Germany (Transmittal No. DDTC 001-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1565. A letter from the Secretary, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report covering current military, diplomatic, political, and economic measures that are being or have been undertaken to complete out mission in Iraq successfully, pursuant to Public Law 109-163, section 1227; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1566. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to Section 620C(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and in accordance with section 1(a)(6) of Executive Order 13313, a report prepared by the Department of State and the National Security Council on the progress toward a negotiated solution of the Cyprus question covering the period February 1, 2007 through March 31, 2007; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1567. A letter from the Chair, Antitrust Modernization Commission, transmitting the Commission's report and recommendations, pursuant to Public Law 107-273, section 11058; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

1568. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the annual report of the Office of Justice Programs for Fiscal Years 2005, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 3712(b); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

1569. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's report providing an estimate of the dollar amount of claims (together with related fees and expenses of witnesses) that, by reason of the acts or omissions of free clinic health professionals will be paid for 2008, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 233(o); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

1570. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; Chesapeake Bay, between Sandy Point and Kent Island, MD [CGD05-06-104] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received March 29, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1571. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Anchorage Regulations; Falmouth Maine, Casco Bay [CGD01-06-026] (RIN: 1625-AA01) received April 1, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1572. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone: Fireworks Display, Trent River, New Bern, North Carolina [CGD05-06-092] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 3, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.